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Curran Scholarship Winner



GARY O. METZGER

Gary O. Metzger, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Metzger of 245 Elm St., Agawam, was among the recipients of the P. Joseph Curran Memorial Scholarship Fund was announced today by the fund's administrators. The fund was established in honor of the late Mr. Curran, who was president of Curran-Jones Funeral Home.

Mr. Metzger will enter Boston College in the fall and will study to become a doctor or a professor of biology. He has been a member of the National Honor Society, Mualpha Theta, Math Club, Future Scientists of America, Faith in Freedom Forum, Senator in Model Congress, and has been ac-

tive in many athletic organizations and committees.

Mr. Metzger will graduate with the Cathedral High School Senior class on June 7th. Exercises will be held at the Eastern States Coliseum.

Visit Agawam H.S. Graduate Display

Once again the graduating class of Agawam High School cordially invites the townspeople to visit the popular display cases in the main foyer of the high school to see the photographs of the graduating seniors and what they plan to do next year.

This annual project is a joint effort of the art department and guidance department under the supervision of Miss Geraldine Schilling and Mr. David Skolnick.

DEM. WOMEN'S CLUB BANQUET TUESDAY, JUNE 6

Democratic Women's Club of Agawam will hold their annual Dinner and Installation of newly elected officers at Betty's Town House on Tuesday, June 6 at 7 p.m. Mrs. Marcel Bedard is serving as general chairman of arrangements. Mrs. Fred Drew is serving as honorary chairman of arrangements and Mrs. Mary Dubia is serving as general co-chairman.

Newly elected officers are as follows; President, Mrs. Alfred Christopher, Vice-president, Mrs. Ronald Meunier, Secretary, Mrs. Harold Burnett and Treasurer, Mrs. Celia Menard. Officers will be installed by State Committeewoman Mrs. Donald Dowd of West Springfield.

Guest speaker will be Lester Hyman, State Democratic chairman. Mr. Hyman will be introduced by State Committeeman George Kelly of West Springfield.

Men are invited to attend and ticket reservations may be completed by contacting any member of the club. Two season tickets to the Storowton Music Fair will be awarded at the close of the dinner.

Valley Festival Meeting Tonight

The 1967 Community Festival Committee of the Valley Community Church will hold a meeting at Boeder House, today, to plan details of the first major event on the Church's new grounds which is to be held Saturday afternoon and evening, June 24th.

Committee chairmen already appointed are: Lighting, Gilbert Bowden; Dining Area Hostess, Maude Light; Barbecue, Charles Provenzano; Games, Richard Willett; Dancing, Virginia Thompson; Booths, Carmi MacPherson; Purchasing, Leonard and Anita Rising; Tickets, Florence and Alfred Ingalls; Sound and Recordings, John S. Cesan; Children's activities, (Please Turn To Page 2)

Robert Swanson To Tour With College Glee Club

Robert Swanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Swanson, of 254 North St., is a member of the Amherst College Glee Club, which leaves June 7th on a seven-week 14,000-mile concert tour, encompassing many countries of Europe and the Middle East.

Concerts, of a varied nature, are scheduled in Paris, Rome, Athens, Cairo, Beirut, Damascus, Istanbul, Vienna, Linz, Innsbruck, Nuremberg, Prague, Moscow, Leningrad, Stockholm, and Copenhagen. The repertoire includes

sacred music, madrigals, selections from opera, contemporary music, American folk songs, folk songs of other countries, and college songs.

Swanson, a sophomore, was a member of the freshman Glee Club before joining the varsity singing group. He was a member of the class of 1965 at the Agawam High School, where he was active musically. A member of the Agawam band for four years, in both the Western District and he played saxophone and clarinet All-State bands in his junior year. The next year he sang in the Western District chorus.

Among the highlights of the tour will be appearances at the Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris, and at St. Stephen's Cathedral in Vienna, Austria.

Promoted to Captain



CAPT. THOMAS F.
BUONICONTI JR.

In a ceremony held recently in the office of the Chief of Staff of the 32D Army Air Defense Command, Thomas F. Buoniconti, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Buoniconti of 36 Rowley St., Agawam, was promoted to the grade of Captain in the Signal Corps of the United States Army.

Captain Buoniconti is assigned to the Seventh Signal Support Battalion which provides communications support to the 32d Army Air Defense Command, Captain (Please Turn To Page 3)

LOCAL PTA COUNCIL ANNUAL MEETING, BANQUET JUNE 5

The annual meeting and banquet of the Agawam Council of Parent-Teacher Associations will be held June 5 at 7 p.m. at South School. Mr. David Skolnick, council president, will conduct the meeting.

The nominating committee will present the following slate for election to two year terms: Treasurer, Mrs. Albert Taupier; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Harold Burnett; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Nicholas Madamas. The installing officer will be Mrs. John Janik, past president of the council.

Miss Mary O'Brien, R.N., retiring Agawam school nurse, will be a special guest of the council. Each unit will host a member of the school committee. Entertainment will be provided by Holly Gibson and Deidre Soper. Cadette Girl Scout Troop 200, now sponsored by the Agawam P.T.A. Council, will assist in serving the dinner. Mrs. Edward Moriarty is banquet chairman, assisted by the following committee: Mrs. Julia Crawford, Mrs. Robert Ratcliffe, Mrs. James Doyle, Mrs. (Please Turn To Page 3)

St. Anthony's Society Awards Scholarships

Aldo Lombardi, president of St. Anthony's Society and chairman of scholarship committee announced today the two recipients of this year's selection. Two high school seniors chosen to receive a \$100 award each are Holly (Conti) Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Gibson of Springfield St., Feeding Hills. Holly, a member of the senior class at Agawam High School plans to enter Parson College, Boston in Sept. She was a member of the student patrol and Drama Club president in high school; a member of the International Relations Club, Band Drum Major, asst. editor of the 1967 year book, representative to Girls State, received the Norman Knight award for excellence in leadership, character and personality. Holly served as a class officer for three of her high school years, two years as class secretary and one year as vice-president.

The second award went to Paul (Piacentini) Fantes, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Fantes of Ridgeway Dr., Feeding Hills. Paul plans to enter Boston College in Sept. Paul served as captain of the student patrol, president of the Physics Club, member of student chess club, member of the track team and Varsity Basketball team. He served as treasurer of his freshman class (Please Turn To Page 2)

PROCLAMATION



Gov. John A. Volpe signs proclamation designating June 1, 1967 as THE HUNDRED CLUB DAY in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Present at the signing were left to right: Daniel J. O'Connor, secretary; George Swartz, president; Richard S. Robie, treasurer; Howard W. Fitzpatrick, chairman of the board; and Norman Knight, director. The purpose of the One Hundred Club of Massachusetts is "to help provide for the widows

and dependents of the policemen and firefighters, state troopers, registry men, Metropolitan police and the Sheriff's department of Middlesex County, who lose their lives in the line of duty." The Hundred Club, whose motto is, "We Care For Those, Who Care For Us," has disbursed some \$175,000.00 to the families of 75 firefighters and law enforcement officers who have lost their lives in the line of duty during the past six years.

Junior Grange Election June 3

Community Junior Grange 105 will hold a business meeting at the Grange Home on North West St., Feeding Hills, Saturday, June 3, at 2 o'clock. Miss Linda Lee Allen, master, will conduct the meeting at which time the election of officers for the 1967-68 season will take place. All members should attend in order to assure a full slate of officers. Also, the usual donations to the Educational Aid Fund, Heifer Project, Greek Team, and Home and Community Service work must be decided.

Miss Beth Werner and Miss Allen are eligible to attend the State Grange Youth School to be held at Mass. State the last week in June, for which money has been earned to help defray their expenses.

Miss Linda Fontaine has asked that cancelled stamps; discarded eye glasses; clean, used, cotton cloth; and pencils be brought to the meeting. Refreshments will be served by Kevin Powers and Celeste Galucci.

CHURCH NEWS

Agawam Methodist Church

459 Mill Street, Agawam
Rev. Kenneth Thornton, Minister
Ronald Ashton, Lay Leader
Mrs. Herbert Binns, Organist
Mrs. Mary Keyes,
Sanctuary Choir Director
Mary Alexander,
Youth Choir Director
Betty Fearn,
Junior Choir Director
Sandra Garfield,
Church Secretary

Thursday — 6:30 p.m. Girl Scout Cadettes.
Friday—6:30 p.m. Girl Scout Cadettes, Troop 124.

Saturday—11 a.m. A service of worship, conducted by various members of the church at East Longmeadow Nursing Home.

Sunday—CHILDREN'S DAY 9:30 a.m. The Church at Worship—Children's Day Program—Nursery for infants; 10:30 a.m. Coffee hour.

Monday—Woman's Society of Christian Service to dine out; 6:30 p.m. Youth Choir practice.

Tuesday — 9:30 a.m. Ladies Daytime Group; 7:30 p.m. Official Board meeting.

Wednesday — 7 p.m. Sanctuary Choir practice.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor
Mrs. Frank Merchant, Organist and Choir Director
Mrs. Barbara Briggs,
Church Secretary

Thursday—7:30 p. m. Religious Education Committee meet at home of Miss Jennette Bodurha, Elm St.

Sunday: 9 and 11:10 a.m.—TWO MORNING WORSHIP SERVICES—Rev. Lockhart will preach both worship services. . . Senior Choir sing first service and Celestial Choir sing second service. Communion will be served at both services; 9:30 and 10 a.m. CHURCH SCHOOL for all ages; 6 p.m. Junior High and Senior BYF's meet at church.

Monday—6:30 p.m. Amicitia Circle annual picnic at home of Mrs. Everett Hodge, Bailey St.

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7:30 p.m. The Gift and Gab Circle meet at home of Mrs. Donald Goss, Elm St.

Wednesday—10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. Trading Post open.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. A. G. Toussaint,
Minister of Music

Friday—7 p.m. Boy Scout meeting; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary choir rehearsal.

Saturday—8:45 a.m. Intermediate Choir rehearsal; 9:30 a.m. Junior Choir rehearsal.

Sunday — 9 a.m. Church at Morning Worship—Senior Recognition Sunday and Church School, Nursery — Grade 6; 10 a.m. Church at Morning Worship and Church School, Nursery—Grade 6.

Monday — 7:30 p.m. Church Board night.

Tuesday—6:30 p.m. Senior High Choir rehearsal.

FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21 North Westfield St.

Rev. Arthur N. Sweeney, Pastor
Mrs. Frederick Nardi, Organist

Saturday—9:30 a.m. Children's Day rehearsal, church sanctuary. Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship Service. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

Monday—8 p.m. Meeting of the Council in Griswold Hall.

Tuesday — 7:30 p.m. Special meeting of the church body in Griswold Hall.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Dominic A. Ruscetta,
CSS Rector

Rev. Samuel Fayad, CSS

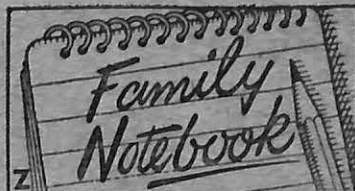
Saturday — 4-5:30 p.m. and 7:30 and 8:30 p.m. confessions. MASS SCHEDULE

Sundays — 7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.

Weekdays — 7, 9 a.m.

Tuesday — 7:30 p.m. St. Anthony Devotions.

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by Mary Troy
Homemaking Consultant to
Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.

Instant Appetizers

Canned foods and your own imagination can work wonders if unexpected guests appear, or "drop-in-for-a-drink" is extended on the spur of the moment. Here are a few recipe ideas to inspire you.

Tuna Tartlet

You'll need a can of tuna fish, juice of ½ lemon, ¼ cup of mayonnaise, a tablespoon of ketchup, a tablespoon of sherry and salt and pepper to taste. Blend these ingredients and fill patty shells or spread mixture on toast rounds. Sprinkle paprika on top, and broil for about 3 minutes. Serve immediately.

Zippy Spread

To one can of deviled ham spread, add ketchup, mayonnaise and dry mustard to taste. Place mixture on toast, dab butter or cheese on top and broil 'til the cheese or butter melts.

Add your own touches to canned meats. For example, slice canned chicken for small sandwiches, add a slice of jelly cranberry on top. For a change of flavor, use dark bread. Here's a mushroom idea that's tasty and easy. Drain a can of whole mushrooms. Heat the liquid from a jar of pickles. Cover the mushrooms with the liquid, cool and refrigerate overnight. Serve with toothpicks for spearing.

These are just a few ideas to spark your own imagination. Check the canned food shelves next time you're shopping and you'll soon have your own plans for instant appetizers.

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ST. DAVID'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar

Thursday—7 p.m. Boy Scout Troop 79 meets at parish hall.

Friday — 3:15 p.m. Junior choir practice at Church.

Sunday—8 a.m. Holy Communion; 10 a.m. Matins and Sermon.

Monday — 2:15 p.m. Girls Scouts meet in the parish hall.

Wednesday — 7:30 p.m. Senior choir at church.

ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Paul Bernard

MASS SCHEDULE

Daily Mass—7 a.m.

Saturday—8 a.m. Mass — 4:30 and 7:30 Confessions.

Sunday — 7, 9 and 11 a.m. Mass.

Tuesday—7 p.m. St. Theresa Novena Devotions

ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce

Rev. Albert Blanchard

Saturday—9 a.m. Grades 1 to

6 Religion Classes at Junior High School. Confessions 4 to 5:45 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.

MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 10:30, 11:45 a.m. and 5 p.m. Masses.

Monday—7 p.m. CCD classes at Junior High School.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

FEEDING HILLS

Rev. George Linse, C.S.S.

Rev. James Shea, C.S.S.

Saturday—4:30 and 7:30 p. m. Confessions

Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30 a. m. Masses.

Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions.

Wednesday—7 p.m. Boy Scouts meet.

St. Anthony's . . .

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and is vice-president of the senior class.

This is the first year that St. Anthony's Society has presented scholarship aids and plans to continue this custom each year. The awards will be presented at the annual Feast Day celebration of the Society to be held on Saturday, June 17. Paul D'Amato has been named chairman of the Feast Day observance.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE OF SALE ON EXECUTION COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Town of Agawam

Hampden, ss: April 20, A.D., 1967

By virtue of an Execution which has been issued on a judgment recovered in the District Court, holden at Springfield, in said County, on the eleventh day of February, A.D., 1966, in favor of Embeco Credit Union, a Massachusetts Corporation, duly organized and having its place of business in Springfield, in said County, against Irene Smith of 10 Royal Street in Agawam, in said Hampden County, on the twentieth day of October, A.D., 1966, at 51 minutes past 4 o'clock in the afternoon, levied upon and took all the right, title and interest which the said Irene Smith had on the first day of August, A.D., 1966, at 7 minutes past 1 o'clock in the afternoon, being the time the same was attached on mesne process, in and to the following described real estate:

the land in Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, being known and designated as Lot #2 (two) as shown on a plan of lots recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 100, Pages 2 and 3, said lot being bounded and described as follows:

NORTHEASTERLY by Rowley Street, one hundred forty-three and 45/100 (143.45) feet;

EASTERLY by the curved line forming the intersection of Rowley Street and Country Road, as shown on said plan, fifty-nine and 56/100 (59.56) feet;

SOUTHEASTERLY by Country Road, forty and 42/100 (40.42) feet;

SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot #19 (nineteen) as shown on said plan, one hundred forty-nine and 57/100 (149.57) feet;

NORTHWESTERLY by Lots #18 (eighteen) and #3 (three), as shown on said plan, one hundred seventeen and 67/100 (117.67) feet.

Subject to a thirty-foot right of way to the Tennessee Gas Transmission Company as shown on said plan.

Subject to rights granted to American Telephone and Telegraph Company if applicable.

Being part of the premises conveyed to the Grantor herein by deed of Paul J. D'Amato, dated March 5, 1965 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book 3097, Page 95.

And on Saturday, the 10th day of June, A.D., 1967, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, on the Superior Court House steps, Elm Street side, Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts, I shall offer for sale at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, said right, title and interest in and to the above described real estate to satisfy said Execution and all expenses and charges of sale.

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Valley Festival . . .

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ties, Ronald and Valerie Hastie; Parking, Harold Light; Prizes, Harry Kalajian; Decorations, Dr. Cortland Richmond; Treasurer and Cashier, Hazel Prior; Posters, Gene Saur; Telephone, Gladys Thompson; and Publicity, Rev. Frank E. Dunn.

Tickets for the Festival will go on sale this week and many will be mailed to friends of the church congregation. The church office has already been informed that many parties are being made up in anticipation of the Festival and convenient seating arrangements can be made if reservations are made early enough.

LEGAL NOTICES

TOWN OF AGAWAM, MASSACHUSETTS

Article 6. VOTED 110 YES 12 NO to change the zone on a parcel of land from Agriculture to Residence A-2. On the petition of Frank Solitario. Said parcel of land bounded and described as follows:

Bounded westerly by Westfield Street; northerly, northwesterly and westerly by land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; conveyed to it by instrument dated May 8, 1939, recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 1673, Page 320; southerly and easterly by other land of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; and southerly again by last named land and land now or formerly of one Jenks and land now or formerly of one O'Brien. Containing one hundred and nine (109) acres more or less.

Article 7. VOTED 128 YES 0 NO to change the zone on a parcel of land on Main Street, on the petition of Stanley M. and Melba Drenowski, from Business A to Business B for a parcel of land on 1815 Main Street, bounded and described as follows:

Lots known and designated as Lots #21 (twenty-one) to No. 30 (thirty) inclusive, on plan of lots at Agawam Terrace, recorded in the Hampden County Registry of Deeds File No. 173. Said lots taken together measure one hundred forty-one and 6/10 (141.6) feet on Main Street; one hundred and thirty-one and 12/100 (131.12) feet on Kanawha Avenue; one hundred forty and 2/10 (140.2) feet on Ruskin Avenue; one hundred thirty-two and 94/100 (132.94) feet on land of others unknown. Containing, taken together, according to said plan, 18,588.4 square feet, more or less.

Article 10. VOTED 122 YES 0 NO to change the zone on a parcel of land on the petition of John E. O'Toole, from Residence B to Business A for a parcel of land on Springfield Street, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the northerly side of Springfield Street, said iron pin being 83.09 ft. N 54° 56' 00" E of the iron pin marking the easterly side-line of Norman Terrace and the northerly line of Springfield Street; thence running N 22° 11' 00" W along land of Charles and Bella Murphy a distance of 127.93 ft. to an iron pin at Lot #8 on Norman Terrace Plan; thence N 19° 36' 00" W along Lot #8 as mentioned a distance of 52.00 ft. to an iron pin at land of Edward Shibley; thence along last named land N 70° 24' 00" E a distance of 73.25 ft. to an iron pin at land of Frances M. Arnold; thence along last named land S 19° 15' 00" E a distance of 161.46 ft. to an iron pin on the northerly side of Springfield Street; thence S 54° 56' W along the northerly side of Springfield Street a distance of 69.00 ft. to the iron pin at place of beginning. Containing 12,212 sq. ft. of land.

Article 11. VOTED 112 YES 28 NO to change the zone on a parcel of land on the petition of the Westfield Savings Bank, from Residence A-2 to Business A for a parcel of land located at 643 Main St., bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at an iron pin on the easterly side of Main Street at the northwest corner of land now or formerly of Captain Charles Leonard House, Inc., and running thence N 10° 24' E along the said easterly side of Main Street, ninety-five and 27/100 (95.27) feet to an angle point in said Main Street; Thence continuing along the said easterly side of Main Street and running N 11° 19' E one hundred seventy-three and 38/100 (173.38) feet to an iron pin marking the southwest corner of Lot #85 (eighty-five) as shown on a plan of lots recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans V, Page 15; thence running S 74° 47' E along said Lot #85 (eighty-five) and Lots #84 (eighty-four), #83 (eighty-three) and #82 (eighty-two), all as shown on above mentioned plan, three hundred three and 88/100 (303.80) feet to an iron pin; thence running S 10° 15' 39" W along land now or formerly of Lewis G. Woodbury and land now or formerly of Town of Agawam, two hundred twenty-two and 46/100 (222.96) feet to an iron pin; and thence N 83° 25' 51" W along land now or formerly of said Captain Charles Leonard House, Inc., three hundred six and 80/100 (306.80) feet to the iron pin at the place of beginning.

Attest:
EDWARD A. CARA,
Town Clerk.

Boston, Mass. May 10, 1967

The foregoing amendments to zoning by-laws adopted under articles 6, 7, 10 and 11 are hereby approved.

ELLIOTT RICHARDSON
Attorney General
(May 18-25, June 1)

Round The Town



By Ann Nael
phone ST 8-8996

HARTFORD, Conn.—Raymond G. LaRiviere of 369 Walnut St., Agawam, will be cited by The Travelers Insurance Company for outstanding production in individual life, accident and health insurance.

Mr. LaRiviere will be admitted to the Knight in Armor Club, the company's honorary organization for outstanding agents, at a special conference from June 25 to June 28, 1967 at The Mountain View House, Whitefield, N. H.

Two Prudential Insurance Co. representatives in West Springfield have been named leaders in the company's 1967 Academy of Honor, it was announced today by Mr. Thomas Allsopp, senior vice president in charge of Northeastern operations.

Those honored were Mr. Stephen Olivo, of 779 Main St., Agawam, and Mr. Charles Knudson of 92 Parkview Dr., Feeding Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Goss, Jr., of 42 Clifton Drive, Agawam, are receiving congratulations on the birth of their first child, a son, Jeffrey Alan, born Thursday, May 25th, in the Providence Hospital. Maternal grandparent is Mrs. Ernest R. McLean of Monroe St., Agawam, and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Donald R. Goss, Sr., of Elm St., Agawam. Maternal great-grandparent is Mrs. Hattie B. McLean, of Wollaston, Mass., and paternal great-grandparent, Mrs. Frank Goss of Mill St., Agawam.

Maureen O'Keefe

'Girl of the Year'

At the annual senior Mother's Tea on May 12th, Maureen O'Keefe was announced as "The Girl of the Year." This is an annual award bestowed on a senior girl for her outstanding contributions to her school in the Seattle area. Selection is made by the graduating class and members of the faculty.

Maureen is a transfer student from Agawam, Mass., and is class treasurer. She was October's Girl of the Month and was chairman of Homecoming; Father and Daughter banquet; Tolo; Senior Ball. A member of Keshani, Senior Honorary Club and Executive Board Girls' Club Council, Staff of School Paper; Pep and Spanish Clubs and was last seen running around the campus as campaign manager of the Student Body elections.

Maureen has been accepted at the U of Washington and has enrolled in the School of Arts and Sciences where she will major in sociology.

Maureen's dad is lead engineer in the Acoustic Dept. of the new S. S. T. Airplane and the family resides in Bellevue, Wash.

Tri-Parish Bowling

Awards Announced

Tri-Parish bowling league composed of members of Sacred Heart, St. Anthony's, Agawam and St. Ann's, West Springfield, held its 23 annual banquet at Betty's Town House this week and made the following awards:

League Champions for the current year are Holy Cross team with the following members; Captain, Frank Morassi and P. Morassi, E. Provost, D. Draghetta, and J. Raffinetti. Class A Champions are S. Anselm's with Louis Mercadante, captain, and E. Dupre, J. Montagna, M. Coughlin and L. Bouchard.

Class B champions, J. Zerra, captain, C. Carulli, M. Guistina, M. Grabowski and L. Gallerani.

Top bowler in the league is Cliff Gibson who maintained a 112.45 average; Frank Morassi received the high three trophy with a 395 while Gibson received the award for highest single of

Jr. Women's Club Receive Five Awards



Mrs. Louis V. Mercadante, president of the Agawam Junior Women's Club, announced that five awards were presented the club at the recent meeting of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs, Junior Membership, at West Harwich.

the year with 149. In the women's division, J. Borgatti held high triple with 327 and S. Camerlin held high single with 125.

Officers serving this year are Richard Cebrelli, President, Frank Gatti, vice-president; Jo Lango, secretary and Lucy Christopher, treasurer. Miss Lango completed her 23rd year as bowling secretary this year. Miss Rose Mercadante served as dinner chairman assisted by Joan Bouley and Mary Provost.

Winner of Class AA, men's division is Gibson with 112.45; Class A, Bill Colson, 105.61; Class B, J. Liussi 101.43 and Class C, W. Shewchuck 95.14

Women's division champs are Class AA, M. Colli 91.87; Class A, M. Coughlin, 90.66; Class B, M. Draghetta 85.97 and Class C, E. Dupre 83.65.

Promoted...

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Buoniconti is serving as assistant Signal Officer on the staff of Major General G. V. Underwood, Jr., the Commanding General of the 32D Army Air Defense Command.

He graduated from Agawam High School in 1959 and from Northeastern University in 1964 with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration.

Since entering the Army in Nov. of '64 Capt. Buoniconti has graduated from the Basic Signal Officer's Course at Fort Gordon, Ga., and the Microwave Radio Officer's Course at Fort Monmouth, N. J. He is married to the former Carol Anne Scannell of Oak Hill Ave., and they have one daughter, Susanne Elizabeth.

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Mrs. Arthur Hotch, New England advisor for the March of Dimes, presented an award of merit from the National Foundation in recognition of creative and exemplary activities.

Pictured above left to right are Mrs. James Morrow, Director of Junior Clubs, GFWC; Mrs. Robert Wolf, president of the Quincy Junior Women's Club who also received the award; Mrs. Robert J. Zulon, immediate past president of the local club who accepted the award; and Mrs. Hotch.

The club also received a certificate of appreciation for participation in a state project "Operation Healthy Babies," a third place award for project HOPE, honorable mention for CARE and a 100 per cent contest award.

Attending the meeting with Mrs. Mercadante were Mrs. Robert Zulon, 14th district representative; Mrs. Herbert Carpenter, 1st vice-president; Mrs. Victor Shibley; Mrs. Bruno Maule; Mrs. Stephen Parchick; Mrs. Raymond Stone, Jr.; Mrs. Donald LaViolette; and Mrs. Clyde Spaeth.

Local PTA Council...

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John Janik, and Mrs. Brady Snyder.

The Child Safety Committee of the council, who has met recently with the Board of Selectmen, will make a progress report and a film will be shown of traffic conditions at the various elementary schools.

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STAFF OPENINGS

Camp Mill Brook, the Agawam "Y" Day Camp has several openings available for young men on its camp staff. At present there are openings for 3 Junior Counselors and 3 Senior Counselors. Young men with some camping experience and a mature attitude may apply at the Agawam YMCA, daily from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Saturday 9 a.m. to 12 noon, or call the Agawam "Y", 733-9676 for more information.

Camp Mill Brook is currently accepting registrations in all 3 phases of its programs, Camp Little Stream for 4-5 year olds,

Camp Mill Brook for 7-12 year-olds and the L.I.T. program for Junior High students completing 7th and 8th grade this June.

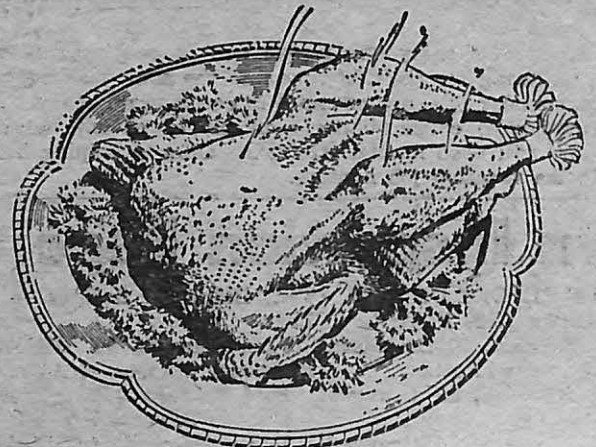
Camp Mill Brook provides a day camp setting with a central theme of Indian lore. Activities include archery, arts and crafts, nature, hiking, cookouts, overnights, games, and swimming, instructional and recreational. The camp is open to all Agawam elementary school children, preschoolers, and Junior High students. Contact the Agawam "Y" for more information on registration.

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Thursday, June 1, 1967

A Chance To Help

The 1966 "Youth Opportunity Campaign" is on again to help get jobs for young Americans leaving their classrooms in May and June.

The superb effort of private employers deserves our nation's thanks and the particular appreciation of those in the 16 to 21 age group. That effort has very often meant success instead of failure for willing youngsters who could not have found work without the organized assistance of private employers across the nation.

Once again this summer, private employers, federal, state and local governments, labor unions, churches and civic organizations are asked to provide work and training experience for as many young people as possible.

About half of these young people will be seeking career employment, venturing for the first time into the adult working world. For others, summer jobs are essential to continue schooling. Many in this group have extraordinary economic or educational disadvantages and will need special attention. Offer a helping hand if you can to the vacation job hunters.

Town Inspection Reports

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

John P. Bielinski, 57 Belvedere St.—Add 2 rooms in attic.
Michael Discenza, 89 Granger Drive—Dwelling.
Michael Discenza, 71 Granger Drive—Dwelling.
Michael Discenza, 32 Granger Drive—Dwelling with ell.
Frank Coupas, 187 South West St.—Garage.
Paul R. Oberheim, 95 Meadowbrook Rd.—Doll House.
Arthur Birchenough, 92 Coronet Circle—2 Car Garage.
Lillian M. Madden, 32 Federal St.—Demolish barn.
James W. Birchall, 997 Main St.—Swimming Pool in Basement.
E. Walter Barker, 89 Cherry St.—Finish interior of Shed Dormer.
Kenneth Thorsen, 19 Stewart Lane—Breezeway and Garage.
Albert Martone, 25 Dartmouth St.—Breezeway and 2 Car Garage.
Joseph Berkowicz, 71 Northwood St.—2 Car Garage.

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT

Frank Morassi, 40 Annabelle St.—100 Amp. Service—Cellar wiring.
C. Brien Const. Co., Lot #1, Brien St.—Complete wiring.
Guy M. Harris, 64 Wright St.—200 Amp. Service.
Theodore Masure, 72 Highland St.—Wire dishwasher and receptacles.
Erwin Keiss, 662 Springfield St.—Install 2 baseboard heaters.
Meadowbrook Realty, Lot 18, Hayes Ave.—Complete wiring.
Meadowbrook Realty, Lot 19, Hayes Ave.—Complete wiring.
Orland Salotti, 108 Albert Road—New addition wiring.
Harold Ryer, 140 Walnut St.—Hot Water Heater.
E. Walter Barker, 89 Cherry St.—Wiring for 3 bedrooms.
Town of Agawam, Fire Dept., 1200 Springfield St.—Complete wiring.

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE PLUMBING DEPARTMENT

C. Brien Const. Co., Lot #1, Brien St.—Bathroom fixtures.

Ter., Bathroom fixtures—Apt. Bldg.

John Liquore, 71 High St.—Bathroom fixtures—6 Apts.
Paul St. Jean, 1283 Suffield St.—Outside Sewer.
Robert Mercadante, 54 Henry St.—Bathroom fixtures.

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE BUILDING INSPECTOR

Dominick Scaranella, 165 Cooper St.—Extend breezeway into family room.
Henry Arnold, 70 Bessbrook St.—Breezeway—2 Car Garage.
Edward Borgatti, 167 Franklin St.—Dwelling.
Raymond Spagnoli, 68 Forest Road—Family Room—2 Car Garage—Patio.
Shaler Smith, 117 Reed St.—Family Room.
A. Agnoli, 8 Agnoli Place—Demolish barn.
Sherman Fein, 1379 Main St.—Fruit Stand.
Joseph C. Brinker, 25 Cosgrove Ave.—Demolish chicken coop.
Joseph B. Mendes, 228 Meadow St.—Swimming Pool.
Carmino Longhi, 51 Lay St.—Demolish shed.
C. Brien, 508 Cooper St.—Demolish house and garage.
Harold Messer, 57 Columbus St.—Addition to livingroom.
C. Brien Const. Co., Lot #26, Brien St.—Dwelling—2 Car Garage.

Raymond Lucia, 777 Silver St.—Storage Shed.

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE ELECTRICAL DEPARTMENT

J. Bielinski, 57 Belvedere St.—Lites & recep. in Dormer Addition.
Servomation of Western Mass., 209 Main St.—30 Amp. Service—Warehouse.
Roger Suprenant, 36 Carmel Lane—Recep.—Electric heat (basement).
Harold Sporbett, 155 Shoemaker Lane—Recp. for welding machine.
Hathaway & Stein, South West St.—100 Amp. Service.
Mardi Const. Co., Lot #60, Vassar St.—Complete wiring.
H. Schlagel, 875 Main St.—100 Amp. Service—Dryer.
Calabrese Const. Co., Lot #16, Carmel Lane—Complete wiring.
Fitzgerald, 551 Main St.—Lites—Switch—Bath Cabinet.
Simone Hannah, 648 Main St.—Appliance Cir.—2nd floor.
Dave Trombley, 59 Ley St.—Wire dryer.
J. Ardizoni, 74 Franklin St.—

Waste Collections

ROUTE 10

Friday, June 2 — Alfred Cir., Alfred Ct., Alfred, Autumn, Bailey, Barden, Campbell Dr., Channel Dr., Charles, Clark, Clifton Dr., Congress, Cross, Dartmouth, Deering, Dover, Dyotte, Florida Dr., Forest Rd., Greenwood, Grove, Laura Cir., Lawnwood, Leonard, Meadowbrook Rd., Melrose Pl., Merrell Dr., Morgan, Peros Dr., Roberta Cir., Ruth Ave., Sibley, Simpson Cir., Trinity Ter., Warren and Western Dr.

ROUTE 1

Monday, June 5 — Arnold, Broz, Carmen Ave., Cleveland, Coronet Cir., Duclos Dr., Francis, Gale, Grant, Hall, Harding, Homer, James, Letendre Ave., Liberty, McKinley, Maynard, Norman, Norman Terrace Ext., North, Oak Lane, Pleasant Dr., Ridgeway Dr., Robin Lane, Sherman Ave., Sylvan Lane, Taft, Walton Lane, Wilbert Ter., Wilson, Woodside Dr. and Woodland.

ROUTE 2

Tuesday, June 6 — Acorn, Agnoli Pl., Annable, Aubudon, Bessbrook, Chapin, Cherry, Colemore, Daniel, Day, Eastern Ave., Fenton, Franklin, Fruwirth Ave., Greenock, Hastings, Hayes Ave., Horsham Pl., Lenox, Lincoln, Line, Mooreland, Norwood Oak, Park, Pierce, Portland Pl., Ralph, Sequoia Dr., Ridgeway, Sylvan, White and Witheridge.

ROUTE 3

Wednesday, June 7 — Begley, Birchwood Ter., Bridge, Brookside Pl., Church, Cooley, Cottage, Dwight, Ellington, George, High, Highland, Hillcrest Ave., Howard, King, King Ave., Laurel, Lexington, Maple, McGrath Ter., Moore, Mulberry, Oak Ave., Oak Hill Ave., Orchard, Ottawa, Pasadena, Prospect River, Scherpa, Spencer, Spring, Summer, Sutton Pl., Tower Ter., Valley, Walnut, Walnut Street Ext. and Winthrop St.

Route 4

Thursday, June 8 — Amherst, Barn Rd., Belvedere, Brookline, Columbus, Country Rd., Giffin Pl., Granger Dr., Greenacre Lane, Henry, Highland, Holland Dr., Homestead Ave., Keating, Kensington, Mill, Morris, Norris, Northwood, Old Mill Rd., Randall, Rhodes Ave., Rowley, Royal, Royal Lane, Springfield, Twin Oaks Rd., Vassar Rd. and William St.

100 Amp. Service—Dryer.
Wm. Thorpe, 1161 Main St.—100 Amp. Service—Dryer.
Charles Duclos, 260 Walnut St.—Wire heater—Service Change.

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE PLUMBING DEPARTMENT

M. Fitzgerald, 551 Main St.—Bathroom fixtures.
John Rossi, 15 Rhodes Ave.—Bathroom fixtures.
Mardi Const. Co., Lot #131, Granger Dr.—Bathroom fixtures.
Mardi Const. Co., Lot #60, Vassar Dr.—Bathroom fixtures.
Chauncey Bailey, 43 Alfred Circle—Hot Water Heater.
Town of Agawam, 1200 Springfield St.—Entire plumbing of building.

WEEKLY REPORT OF THE PLUMBING DEPARTMENT

Justin Wilke, 151 So. Westfield St.—Hot Water Heater.
Valley Community Church, 152 South West St.—Bathroom fixtures.
Betty's Restaurant, 28 Moore St.—Hot Water Heater.
John Liquori, 77 High St.—Bathroom Fixtures.
Cesaire Brien, Lot #1, Brien Dr.—Bathroom Fixtures.
Sherman Fein, 1379 Main St.—Bathroom Fixtures.
Thomas Bounaconti, 36 Rowley St.—Remodel Bath.
C. Capodagno, 64 Hamilton Circle—Hot Water Heater.
Raymond Saracino, 245 High St.—Bathroom Fixtures—Dishwasher.
Walter Dziubek, 5 Elmar Drive—Bathroom Fixtures.
Walter Dziubek, 17 Elmar Dr.—Bathroom Fixtures.
Walter Dziubek, 45 Dequoia Drive—Bathroom Fixtures.

June 7, 1775 — The United Colonies were renamed the United States.



JUNE 5

through

JUNE 9

SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Orange juice, cheeseburgers, potato chips, buttered carrots, peanut butter sandwich, pear half, milk.

Tuesday: Beef in gravy, mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, raisin muffin, raspberry-prune square, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, frankfurts on roll, homemade baked beans, cabbage-carrot cole slaw, peanut butter sandwich, prune spice cake/butter icing, milk.

Thursday: Orange juice, cold cut grinder (ham, bologna, lettuce, tomato, cheese), peanut butter sandwich, peach shortcake/icing, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna salad roll, macaroni salad/eggs, celery, green peppers, buttered green beans, bread/butter, Jello with topping, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Juice, hamburger on bun, stewed tomatoes, peanut butter sandwich, sliced pears, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, grinders (sliced meat, cheese, lettuce, tomatoes) pickles, potato chips, fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy Joe on bun, buttered mixed vegetables, grapefruit section, milk.

Thursday: Beef in gravy, mashed potato, broccoli, Jello/icing, milk.

Friday: Juice, grilled cheese sandwich, potato chips, buttered carrots, butter cake/chocolate sauce, milk.

DANAHY

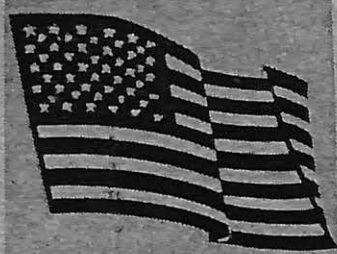
Monday: Juice, frankfurts and roll/ relish, mustard, buttered corn, raisin square, milk.

Tuesday: Elbow macaroni/meat, tomato sauce, wax beans, cheese wedge, bread/butter, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday: Chicken noodle soup/vegetables, chicken salad sandwich, carrot sticks, pineapple square, milk.

Thursday: Mashed potatoes, meat balls/brown gravy, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, pineapple chunks, milk.

Friday: Pizza/tomato and



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I am the glory of American womanhood.

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(Owen T. Durant)

cheese, tossed green salad, pear halves, chocolate peanut butter cookies, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Juice, grilled frankfurts on buttered bun, relish and mustard, potato sticks, whole kernel corn, butter cake/fudge sauce, milk.

Tuesday: Spaghetti, meat, tomato sauce, buttered green beans, peanut butter sandwich, apple-sauce, milk.

Wednesday: Grape juice, pepper steak on buttered water roll, potato chips, lettuce, tomato salad, chocolate cake, milk.

Thursday: Hamburg gravy, mashed potato, buttered broccoli, peanut butter, marshmallow sandwich, pears, milk.

Friday: Tomato soup, egg salad sandwich, sliced meat sandwich, celery sticks, cookies, orange wedges, milk.

PEIRCE

Monday: Baked corn beef hash, kernel corn, carrot stix, peanut butter-honey sandwich, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Tuesday: Orange juice, potato salad, sliced grilled bologna, buttered wax beans, hot corn bread or bread/butter, fruited Jello/topping, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti/tomato-meat sauce, buttered carrots, cheese cube, buttered Vienna bread, butter cake/cheery topping, milk.

Thursday: Beef-noodle casserole, buttered leaf spinach, cheese muffins or peanut butter sandwich, pears, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna sailboat, Harvard beets, potato chips, applesauce, cookie, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Grilled frankfurts on buttered roll, relish and mustard, buttered carrots, beans, potato chips, grapefruit sections, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti with meat, cheese, tomato sauce, cabbage carrot salad, bread/butter, pear halves, milk.

Thursday: Grilled hamburger on buttered bun, relish, onion slices, buttered green beans, orange wedges, milk.

Friday: Tomato soup, tuna salad on grinder roll, carrot sticks, apple, peanut butter cookie, milk.

ROBINSON

Monday: Juice, hamburger on buttered roll, catsup, buttered carrots, cheese sticks, peanut butter raisin cake/frosting, milk.

Tuesday: Elbow macaroni/tomato, meat sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, fruit, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, toasted ham and cheese roll, potato chips, tossed salad, apple crisp, milk.

Thursday: Citrus juice, pizza/cheese and tomato sauce, carrot, celery sticks, peanut butter sandwich, fresh fruit, milk.

Friday: Oven baked fish sticks, mashed potatoes, buttered corn, peanut butter sandwich, dessert, milk.

SOUTH

Monday: Orange juice, steamed franks on buttered roll, mustard and relish, cheese sticks, buttered spinach, pear halves, milk.

Tuesday: Meat balls in tomato sauce on grinder roll, buttered carrots, celery sticks, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, vegetable soup/crackers, carrot sticks, sliced bologna and cheese on rye bread, fresh apple, milk.

Thursday: Beef pie/vegetables and gravy/potato topping, fruit slaw salad, peanut butter/honey on rye bread, fruited Jello/topping, milk.

Friday: Macaroni salad, grilled cheese on rye, tossed green salad/French dressing, strawberry cake/topping, milk.

V.F.W. Post 1632 and Auxiliary Bulletin

By ANNA D. BISSENETTE

MEMBERSHIP

The Ladies of the V. F. W. Auxiliary #1632 and officers extend an invitation to all mothers, daughters, and sisters of V.F.W. members to join the Auxiliary and participate in their work in helping the veterans of the wars, either at the Post, Veterans Administration Hospital or the Holyoke Soldiers Home. We are getting more and more veterans returning from Vietnam so we will need more Auxiliary to share the opportunity of giving of their time and energy to rehabilitate these veterans.

If you would like to know more about the Auxiliary activities contact President-elect Venetta Snyder or Treasurer Anna D. Bissette. "With the great dangers to peace and freedom of our country we must maintain a vigorous spirit of patriotism throughout the nation," said Mrs. Bissette. "We are asking you all to join with us now and give

active service for America."

THANK YOU

We give thanks to all workers and people who supported the "Buddy Poppy Sale." It couldn't be done without you. Thanks also to all who participated in the "Flag Raising Ceremonies." The Memorial Mass, and the Memorial Parade.

IMPORTANT DATES

June 3—Benefit supper. Please attend for "Tony DeChristopher" Saturday 6 p.m. Barcomb-Trowbridge #6714—\$1.50.

June 4 — Congratulations to Coral S. Bissette, one year trustee of the V. F. W. Auxiliary upon receiving her diploma from the University of Massachusetts.

June 14 — Flag Day—OUR FLAG SPEAKS (here) page 2

June 18—Chicken barbecue — Fathers' Day (See drawing) Chairman James Stellato. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Goss, Jr., on the birth of a son on May 25.

At Your Service

EUGENE H. LUND
Director of Veterans Services



Two days ago, I had the pleasure of awarding the first prize of the Memorial Day Essay Contest, sponsored by the Agawam Memorial Committee for pupils in the eighth grade. For the citizens of Agawam who were unfortunate enough not to have heard it read by its author, James Gibson, we are printing the essay which we believe represents the beliefs of loyal Americans everywhere.

We are extremely proud that this is a product of an Agawam pupil and that it is a reflection on the excellent training our children are receiving in education in this community.

WHAT MEMORIAL DAY MEANS TO ME

By James Gibson
Agawam Junior High

A silent hush fell over the crowd as the clergy offered a few words in honor of our dead. My eyes carefully glanced at the different people standing at attention. Being too young to realize the true meaning of this day, I searched to find it in the eyes of others. I explored the faces and minds of the Cub Scouts at my right side. I wondered why they were almost struggling with themselves to keep quiet. Then I remembered how, as a boy, I too had trouble keeping my mind off of the cool ice cream awaiting me at the shopping center nearby. I chuckled a little, until my eyes fell upon the prominent figures of the twenty-one soldiers waiting to fire their guns. Their straight bodies made a commanding sight, and they suddenly seemed to be the only protection between the Communists and me. Now, I thought, I have finally found the real meaning of this day.

My train of thought was suddenly broken by the faint sound of the wreath hitting the water. Here I stopped again, wondering if this too could not be a clue as to why almost the whole town was assembled. I was having great difficulty deciding which was the true meaning of Memorial Day. Comparing the little Cub Scouts, the seemingly giant soldiers, and the suddenly startling sound of the wreath, I could not tell which one meant the most to

me. For some time I debated this question in my mind.

But, alas, my eyes fell upon an elderly couple. Until I examined their faces closely, I didn't notice the tear in the man's eye. I began to wonder once again. What could be making him shed that tear? Could it be that he is honoring all our dead? Maybe he is sad because he now remembers his only son who was lost in the Korean War. What of the war in his own generation—World War I? With all these serious events in his lifetime, it's no wonder he regards Memorial Day with such emotion. Our glances met for a moment, and there was a warm feeling of mutual understanding. The young and the old had met in thought. We agreed. Our country was safe, and no rabble rousers or card burners could destroy us.

This gave me a good feeling, and I moved to the rail to watch the wreath glide smoothly on the river. It would eventually flow out to sea, bearing with it all the feelings of the assembly on the bridge. I desperately hoped that all the brave men who fought and died for America were watching, and felt our love and gratefulness for all they had given us. Perhaps they, in turn, were handing down to us the burning torch of courage and understanding.

Now I am sure. I have finally found the true meaning of Memorial Day. It is not just one of



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Youth Group Set Dance For June 16

The Agawam Youth Committee held a meeting recently under the supervision of Mr. Harry Leonard at the Agawam Methodist Church. Mark Rossi, was appointed president; Joe Pepe vice-president, and Sue Durant treasurer-secretary.

Plans were made for the Youth Group to hold a fund raising dance to be held Friday, June 16th at the Robinson Park School. Music will be provided by "The Curries," who are donating their services to the youth program.

Committee members are: Gail Begley, refreshments, assisted by Kathy Grassa, Dolores Frasco, Jean Gallerani and Cinday Bishop; publicity, Karen Zaorski, Karen Delaney, Joe Pepe, Sue Durant and Bridget Shea; supervision, Cindy Melici, Alice Whittier, Judy Locke, Steve Kida, Mike Montessi, Mark Rossi, Don Lidwell and Bill Cateletti.

the man's reasons for shedding a tear. It is all of them. As long as we can realize that many men have already died for our country, and many men may die in the future, we can continue to survive without fear of a divided United States.

Hundreds of the 197,000 Massachusetts veterans carrying GI insurance are neglecting to keep up to date their listing of a beneficiary for their policy proceeds.

Because of this the insurance proceeds may not be paid to the individual nor in the manner the veteran would wish.

A divorced wife or wealthy parent may take precedence over a present wife or children since the VA must pay the proceeds of the insurance policy to the beneficiary designated by the veteran himself.

A recent sampling in which a group of veterans were asked if they wished to change the beneficiary brought six out of ten affirmative replies.

Necessary forms for these changes may be obtained from the VA office at the Town Hall, Agawam, or from VA Contact Division, Room E-116, John F. Kennedy Federal Building, Government Center, Boston or by writing directly to the VA insurance office where the veteran pays his premiums.

June 4, 1896 — Henry Ford wheeled the first Ford car from a brick shed at 58 Begley Avenue, Detroit, and drove it around the darkened city in a successful trial run.

Librarians Tour Book Company



Miss Joe Lango of Rowley St., Agawam, was hostess last week at an Open House of the H. R. Hunting Co., in Chicopee, to librarians attending the Massachusetts Library Association annual meeting at the White House Inn.

Pictured above left to right are: Mrs. Dorothy O'Keefe, Miss Lango and Mrs. Irene Sustarsic.

The librarians were taken on a guided tour of the various departments and given an insight

to the modern methods for the processing of books by Miss Lango, an employee of the firm for many years. The Hunting Co., has been established since 1904.

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COST: \$3.00 Registration Fee per session; \$15.00 per semester hour each session. All courses 3 semester hours each session, except the following, which are 4 semester hours each session: Botany, Zoology, Chemistry, Physics, Conservation, and Accounting; and Elementary School Music: 2 hours.

CREDIT: Students may elect as many as two courses each six-week session and may earn as many as 14 semester hours credit during the summer.

For descriptive brochure and application write to Summer Division Director, Holyoke Community College, 541 South Street, Holyoke, Massachusetts, 01040, or call 536-1624, 536-1625, or 536-1626. Appointments may be made also for free academic counseling.

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SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By BILL CHIBA

Saturday, May 20, the Sandisfield Rod and Gun Club carried out its annual stocking program. The members stocked 588 10 to 13 inch trout in the Farmington, Buck, Clam and Westfield Rivers. The Littleville and Knightville areas also received a fair share of trout.

Three of the trout were tagged with numbers 86398, 86399 and 86400. The lucky fishermen turning in the tags to club officers will receive valuable prizes.

Brook Trout Record Falls

A four-pound, 12 ounce brook trout from Mashpee-Wakeby pond in Falmouth has broken the old record of 19 inches. Angelo Samarelli's catch reported was 20 1/4 inches long and had a girth of 14 inches. The old record, tied three times since first set in 1963, included fish ranging from two pounds and one ounce to two pounds and 12 ounces. They came from waters in Brewster, Westport, Hubbardston and Cheshire.

The prize winning fish was caught on live bait.

New York is still the top state in sale of outboard motors, but its share of the market is shrinking, according to the research department of the Boating Industry Association.

The biggest market shift was

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noted in California, which dropped from second place and 7.5 per cent of the market in 1960 to seventh place and 4.52 per cent of the total in 1966. BIA said the decline didn't reflect a drop in marine business in the state.

"Quite the contrary; it simply reflects changing tastes. California was once a top market for big, powerful outboards. The introduction of stern dive units in the early 1960's really caught on there, and it hurt sales of the bigger outboards," a BIA spokesman said.

BIA said total retail of value of outboard motors sold in this country during 1966 reached \$220.5 million.

Fishing Derby

David Johnson, president of the Oregon Sportsmen Club today announced the annual fishing derby for junior members will be held Sunday, June 25th at Mellor Pond. All 1967 junior members are eligible to participate free of charge. Further plans will be announced.

Bernard Fitzpatrick, chairman, and James McGuire, vice-chairman of the annual New England boiled dinner report tickets for the June 11th event are now available from directors, committeemen and various area business establishments. The rain or shine, stag affair for men over 21 is scheduled to be held on the Lawton St., Ludlow, club grounds. Men interested in attending are reminded ticket cost includes all snacks, refreshments, and the corned beef dinner.

The Agawam Bowmen Club will host the MBBA sanctioned archery tournament June 4 at their field range. Trophies and medals will be awarded in all classes. Registration will open at 8 a.m., and will close at 1 p.m.

The Old Turner



"What single girls are seeking is a husband with a fat wallet and a slim stomach."

LITTLE LEAGUE EAST



Pictured during the game at the School Street Field are: Bomber catcher, Shawn Sullivan, and Bomber pitcher, Don Wheeler with Umpire Larry Kittler, and the Corvair starters, Scott Brindle, catcher, and Gary Robinson, pitcher. The Bombers battled from behind to take this one, 7 to 4 for their fifth straight win against no defeats.

LITTLE LEAGUE MAJOR — EAST

The first Bomber win of the season saw Don Wheeler strike out 12 Corvair batters with teammates Simonds, Michalek, and Richter getting two hits apiece, and DePaló one. Duplesses had two hits for the Corvairs and Pianowski struck out nine and hit a single in the losing cause. Batteries: Bombers: Wheeler, P; Sullivan, C — Corvairs: Pianowski, P; Brindle, C. Line Score: Bombers 3-7-2 Corvairs 1-3-4

The Bombers second win was pretty much decided on bases-on-balls when they received 14 free passes and gave the Panthers three. Batteries: Bombers: Michalek, winning P; Orlosk, C — Panthers: Ramah, P; Bouley, C. Line Score: Bombers 8-8-4 Panthers 4-7-4

A pitchers' duel throughout, the third game was decided on a double, the only hit of the game, by winning pitcher Wheeler to drive in the only run in the last of the 6th inning. Wheeler had 15 strikeouts, and loser Nolan had 12. Catchers were Sullivan and Broneau. Line Score: Bombers 1-1-1 Senators 0-0-2

The 4th Bomber win was decided in the 4th inning when they got 3 of their 7 hits to score 5 big runs behind the strong armed pitching of Michalek. Orlosk was catcher. Senator battery was Quinn, P. and Broneau, C. Line Score: Bombers 8-7-6 Senators 2-3-2

Monday, the fifth straight win of the Bombers was an abbreviated contest, called after four because of rain and darkness with the Bombers ahead by 3 runs.

Batteries: Bombers: Wheeler, P. and Sullivan, C. Corvairs: Robinson, P. and Brindle, C. Line Score: Bombers 7-4-1 Corvairs 4-4-1

Tuesday night the Panthers tied the score in the last half of the first inning at 4-all and went on to win their first game after three losses by pecking away at the slants of the Senators' strong-armed hurler Jim Nolan who pitched a good game but got no support from his mates at the plate. For the Panthers it was the relief pitching of Dowd and Milewski and the hitting of Knight and St. John that nailed down the victory. Batteries: Panthers: Anderson, Dowd, Milewski, win-

ner: Dowd; Bouley, C. Senators: J. Nolan, P. Garvey, C. Line Score: Panthers 12-8-2 Senators 7-2-2

Wednesday night the Bombers suffered their first lose as the Corvairs outscored them 5-3, with both teams having 5 hits and 3 errors. Batteries: Machietto, winning P. and Brindle, C. Corvairs: Michalek, P. and Sullivan, C. Bombers.

MINOR LEAGUE — EAST

Saturday morning's first game in Minor League Play saw the Bombers bomb the Panthers, 22-5. Allen Morse pitched 4 innings and allowed only one run on one hit, while garnering 3 hits for his team at the plate, as did Mike Newell, while C. Sorensen and the two Wysockis each had two hits. Mike Bordurtha, pitcher for Panthers, made the outstanding play of the game when he was put in as short-stop, being relieved by Dave Hanna. Stan Sou-

boutin was catcher. Bob Fecowicz had a three-run single in a losing cause.

The second game of the morning was a slug-fest through eight full innings as the lead see-sawed back and forth from Corvairs to Senators, 13-all at the end of the regulation 6 innings; 19-all in the top of the 8th when the Senators scored a big run and the never-say-out Corvairs came back with two fast runs to take the thriller, 21-20. Paul LeGrand was winning pitcher and J. Drummond catcher. Extra base hits were tallied by Drummond, Cirillo, and M. Doyle.

LEAGUE STANDING

JIM REYNOLDS LEAGUE

Crusaders	2-1
T'Birds	2-10
Legion	2-1
Cardinals	0-3

MAJOR LITTLE LEAGUE EAST

Bombers	5-1
Corvairs	3-2
Senators	1-3
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Bombers	2-1
Panthers	0-3

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JIM REYNOLDS LEAGUE



The Jim Reynolds League goes into its second week of action despite rain and cold weather.

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Pictured here are the starting batteries of Monday nights game: Cardinal pitcher, Kevin Keeley, Crusader catcher, Paul Veller, Umpire Ray Prevost, of Springfield, Cardinal catcher, Steve Meister, and Crusader pitcher, Bob Leopardi.

Going into the fourth Veller tied up the game at four-all with a well-timed hit into left field

and the game was thereafter called because of rain and darkness. It will be continued in the fifth inning on Friday night.

Monday: Legion 6, T'Birds 5.

Tuesday night the Legion romped to an easy victory over the hapless Cards for 17 hits behind the 6 hit pitching of Tom Davies for an easy 12 to 2 abbreviated finish as darkness halted the game in the 5th inning.

Line Score: Legion: 12-17-0 Cards: 2-6-2

Battery: Legion: Davies, P. Easter, C. Cards: Meister, P. Montagna, C. Keeley, Meister.

Wednesday: T'Birds beat the Legion 7 to 1.

Thursday: The first double play of the season, an unassisted play by Crusader, short stop Rocky Beane, was instrumental in gaining the win over the Cardinals by a slim margin of 6-5.

Line Score: — Crusaders 6-6-2 Cardinals 5-4-2

Battery: Crusaders: Leopardi, P. Veller, C. Cardinals: Merek, P. Meister, C.

FRIDAY: The Cardinals led the T'Birds 4-3 when this game was called because of darkness and will be replayed when weather permits. Batteries for Cardinals were Wayne Merek, Pitcher, and Bruce Foster, catcher, for T'Birds, Gary Safford, Karl Geiger, P. and Steve Nooney, catcher.

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By June and Elmer Roosa

Hi,

Anyone who stayed home last Friday instead of joining us at Robinson Park School, not only missed the last dance of the season, but the really good calling of our guest, Chuck Carlson. He was pretty terrific and we had a job staying with him on a couple of calls. The refreshments were good and so were the door prizes. They were diverse, to say the least; all the way from ice cream to grass seed. We are sure Al Taupier will really enjoy his "shampoo and set" at Thelma's too!! Just relax, Al!

Our annual meeting went along very smoothly and we now have three new couples ready to take office in September. We are not just pleased, we're thrilled, to be able to tell you we are welcoming some very fine and capable people into the vacant positions. The major office of Program Chairmen will be filled by none other than (trumpets here) Tino and Anita Davilli!!!! This is their second time in this office and we're of the opinion this is something pretty special and should be recognized as such by every member of the club.

Also coming back for the second time are our Refreshment Chairmen, Carl and Fran Link. Good luck and congratulations to both couples. Last, but not least, are Lucille and Bill Metcalf, our new publicity chairmen. We have no fears for the future of our club with such fine and capable leadership as this!

Our outgoing program chairmen are two of the best, and deserve a rest, so of course they have willingly assumed the duties of Steak Roast Chairmen, and how about that!! Doug and Beryl, what would we DO without YOU?

Now to Graduation, which is officially slated to take place on the evening of Friday, June 16th, at the Sacred Heart Pavillion. Should we have inclement weather, we will move indoors at one of our schools. Our graduates will be as follows: Lindy and Dick Davis; Rose and Eddie Duquette; Marge and John (Kangaroo) Ferrero; Linda Giroux; Lucille and Bill Metcalf; Scottie and Dale Mushrush; Peggy and Bob Shoemaker; and Flora and Cles Steadmen.

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fall and so will we if we don't let them down this summer after graduation. We will have to see to it that they are helped to find plenty of friendly folks with whom to dance and enjoy the summer months.

Just a reminder—get your reservations in NOW—to the Shaylor's for our steak roast, June 11. Time has a way of creeping up and you don't want to miss this affair! The steaks alone are worth the price of admission and the Shaylor's or any member of the committee will be glad to save two with you in mind. The committee is: Gwen and Vint Gregory; Lorraine and Joe Casperini; Barbara and Jack Kupec; and the Roosas.

So Long—See you at the Pavillion!!!

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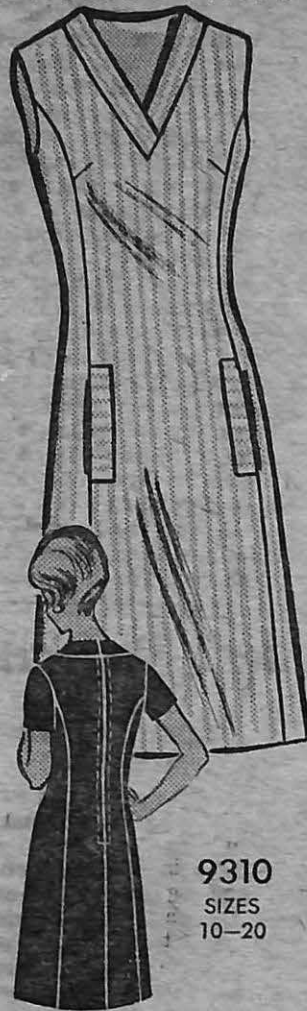
The sixth game in the present series of Whist Parties sponsored by the Veterans of World War One was held in the Agawam National Guard Armory last Wednesday evening. Receiving door prizes were Mary Haley, Harold Vaughn, Florence Panaratas, Jessie Tompkins.

Ladies ace prize winner was Emeline Comeault and Sherman Dacker for the men. Mystery prizes were won by Mildred Cole, Rust Cusson, and Amelia Riggott.

High score prizes were awarded to the following: Ladies — 1st Rosella Jolly, 2nd Florence Panaratas, 3rd Gladys Stone, 4th Margaret Ericksberg; Men—1st Clarence Edwards, 2nd Louis Tranchese, 3rd Walter Haggerty, 4th James D. Cleary.

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My Beat — A.H.S.

Jo-Ann Della-Giustina

At this time of the year the seniors dominate the entire school and all its activities. The juniors sponsored the prom for the seniors and the senior banquet is soon. Senior Day is next week; and next Friday, the seniors graduate. Next week at Mock Graduation, 12 seniors will receive the Citizenship Award, and many other awards and scholarships will be received by deserving seniors.

Queen of the 1967 Junior-Senior Prom was senior Nancy Wiley, who is a member of Student Patrol, color guard, and art editor of the Mirror. Members of Nancy's court were Cindy Bishop, Sue Durant, Cathy Grassa, Chris Parzyk, Judy Rebecchi, and Debby Theroux.

Senior Day next week will give the seniors the most freedom they had all year. In order to keep all the class members in order, a committee has set up a code for the day which the seniors themselves will enforce. Seniors will have the privilege to dress accordingly for Slop Day, or Senior Day.

Good luck seniors in all your endeavors!!!

CAREER CONFERENCES

Ending the career conferences for the year will be John Wilbur, Director of Admission at Monmouth College, which is located in Monmouth, Illinois. Monmouth is a four-year, co-educational Liberal Arts College. Within the past ten years, the college has grown from one of fewer than 100 students to over twelve hundred today, and by 1970, there will be an enrollment of 1600 students. The atmosphere is almost wholly Midwestern although many Easterners and foreign

students attend this college. Another asset is that nearly one half of the professors at Monmouth hold Ph.D.'s! Anyone interested in such a versatile college should attend this conference!!

COMING EVENTS: GRADUATION—1 WEEK!!!... Fredrick T. Dacey Day is June 10!!

RHUBARB

Fresh rhubarb is a favorite sight of spring. It is prized for its delicate color and tart flavor lends to meals.

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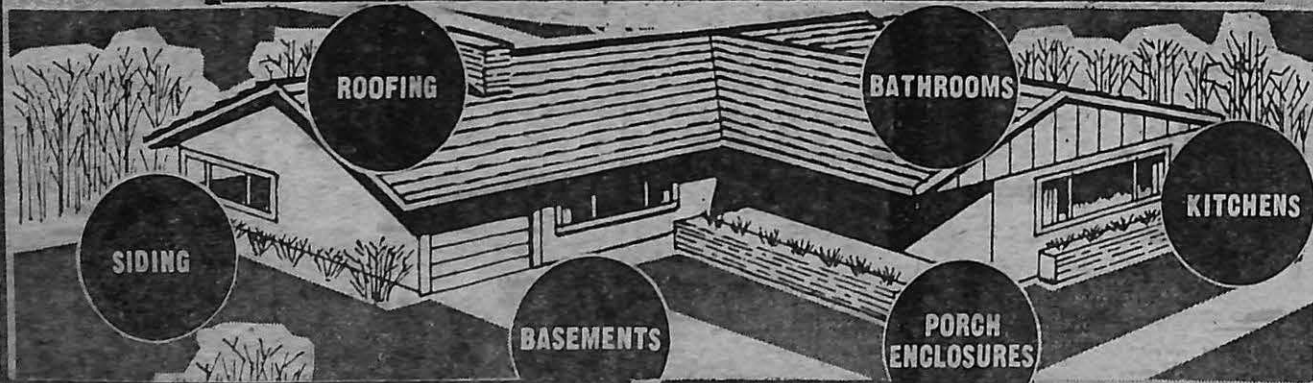


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by Gladys R. Catchpangh

DEPARTMENT CONVENTION

This morning, at 6:30, Agawam Unit's delegates, headed by Mrs. Wilma Gillan, met at GAR Hall in Springfield, to board a chartered bus for Swampscott, where they will attend the sessions of the Massachusetts State Convention of the American Legion Auxiliary.

We know they will faithfully attend the business meetings, record Agawam Unit's vote on important issues for new department officers, and bring back detailed reports which we will be waiting to hear at our next regular meeting on Monday evening, June 5th.

We hope they will also enjoy to the fullest the social events that always go along with convention activities. We shall also be waiting to hear of plans for the National Convention to be held in Boston in August, and to know if there are things that Unit 185 can do to make the convention successful.

MEMORIAL OBSERVANCES

Another Memorial Day, dedicated to our young men who have offered their lives for the preservation of our beloved country and all that it stands for, has come and gone. This year, when once again we have been called upon to send our young people to the far places of the earth in the defense of FREEDOM, Memorial Day has meant not only honor for those who have served, but prayers for those now serving, and earnest hopes that soon this conflict may be over, and that some way, some how, a way may be found to settle the world's differences in some other way.

We wish to thank all those in the community who have supported the poppy program, thus aiding in service to those disabled veterans in hospitals, their families, our grateful thanks. To

those who attended the Poppy Ball, and to those who worked so hard to prepare it, may their pleasure in it be increased by the knowledge that this too increased the aid we can provide for those who have served and who are still suffering from the ravages of war.

Our thanks, too, for the beautiful Memorial Services at St. David's Church. Such services always remind us of the sacredness of this time of memory, and to re-light in our hearts the sense of responsibility of each American to so live that America shall continue to be worthy of the sacrifices made for it.

To those who took part in the Memorial Day Parade, and to the many people who paused to watch it, thank you again. Your support and encouragement proves that, in spite of the frightening things that are happening world wide today, love of country is not dead in our town nor in America.

NOTES

Word has been received of the serious illness of John Lakeman, in E Paso, Texas. John and Mary Lakeman can never be forgotten by Wilson-Thompson Post and Auxiliary. Mary, a charter member of the Unit, was it's first secretary, it's president in 1937 through 1939 and served as County Director, and as Department President. Well known in musical circles, she directed many successful minstrel shows for us, and John, with his beautiful voice always took a leading part. They have lived in Texas for many years now, where they are still very active in Legion and Auxiliary affairs. They planned to come north to attend the National Convention in Boston in August, and to spend some time in this area where they have many friends and some relatives. We hope returning health will make it possible for them to come as they planned.

REMEMBER—NO TAIL-GATING



MILKY WAY

June is the month that ushers in summer, vacation time, and the hot lazy days that usually mean quick and simple meals. These are the days when it is easy to shortchange oneself and one's family of necessary nutrients. One way to compensate for these lighter meals is to make sure that between-meal snacks are nutritious to—that they are not just "empty calories."

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SOCIAL SECURITY

Questions and Answers

Q. Could you give an example of the seven-month enrollment period for medicare?

A. John Doe will be 65 on April 15, 1968, so his initial enrollment period extends from January 1, 1968, to July 31, 1968. For Mr. Doe to have medicare doctor bill insurance starting the month he reaches 65, April 1, 1968, however, he must apply in either January, February, or March 1968. If Mr. Doe applies in April 1968, his medical insurance coverage will start on May 1, 1968; if he applies in May 1968, it will start July 1, 1968; if he applies in June 1968, his medical insurance won't start until September 1, 1968. His application in July 1968, the last month of his initial enrollment period, will delay the start of his coverage until October 1, 1968. Were Mr. Doe to have medical expenses in the 7-month period between April 1, 1968, and October 1, 1968.

Q. Early in 1965 I was injured and as a result have been unable to work since. I filed for disability benefits and the claim was denied because it was thought that I would eventually be able to return to work. My doctor feels that I will not be able to work for another year. Is there any chance that I could now draw monthly benefits?

A. Yes, the 1965 amendments to the social security law changed the disability eligibility requirements to include persons who are unable to work for at least a year because of severe disabling condition. You should check with your local social security office.

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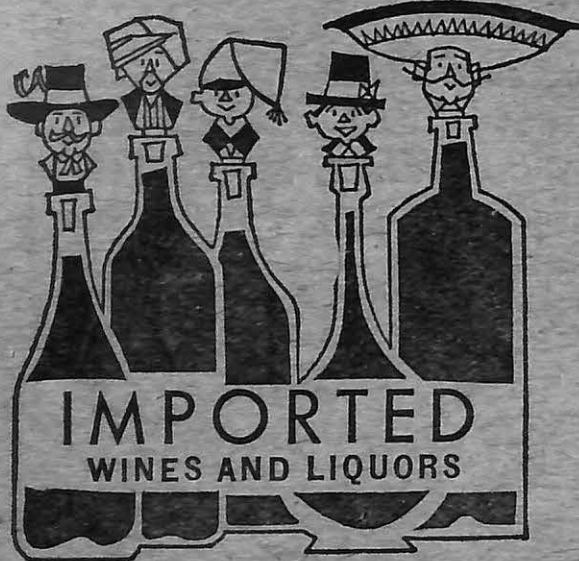
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